DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE WHOLESALE AND RETAIL PRICES IN BANGALORE CITY AND OTHER IMPORTANT TRADE CENTRES IN THE STATE.

Price as on Saturday the 16th February 1952.

Names of commodities	*Trade description*	*Wholesale unit of weighment or measure*	*Retail unit of weighment or measure*	*Wholesale prices in Bangalore City*	*Retail prices in Bangalore City*	*Remarks*
				Rs. a. p.		
GRAINS AND PULSES.						
Rice in the husk (Paddy)	I variety	640 seers	Rupee	...	...	
	II ,, ...	Do	Do	...	...	
Rice not in the husk	I ,, ...	100 seers	Do	49 2 0	2 seers	Controlled
	II ,, ...	Do	Do	41 3 9	2 3/8 ,,	
Ragi ...	Duyam-Black (local) ...	Do	Do	21 5 7	4 1/2 ,,	
	Superior-Red do ...	Do	Do	...	...	
Tur ...	Local	Do	Do	40 0 0	2½ ,,	
	Imported variety ...	Do	Do	50 to 52 0 0	1 3/4 ,,	
Tur Dhal ...	Local	Do	Do	60 to 70 0 0	1½ to 1¾ ,,	
	Imported variety	Do	Do	70 to 80 0 0	1 1/8 to 1½ ,,	
Avare ...	Local	Do	Do	48 0 0	2 ,,	
Avare Dhal ...	Do	Do	Do	70 to 80 0 0	1 1/8 to 1½ ,,	
Horsegram ...	Do	Do	Do	34 to 35 0 0	2 3/4 ,,	
Bengalgram ...	... ...	Do	Do	54 to 60 0 0	1½ to 1 3/4 ,,	
Blackgram ...	... ...	Do	Do	65 to 66 0 0	1 3/8 ,,	
Greengram ...	... ...	Do	Do	60 0 0	1½ ,,	
Jawar ...	Ordinary variety ...	Do	Do	21 5 7	4½ ,,	Controlled
OILS AND OIL SEEDS.						
					Rs. a. p.	
Gingelly oil ...	Expeller Oil (local) ...	28 lbs.	Seer	24 to 25 0 0	0 11 0	
Castor oil ...	Do do ...	28 ,,	Do	25 to 26 0 0	0 12 0	
Groundnut oil	Do do ...	28 ,,	Do	18 to 18 8 0	0 8 0	
	Do (Imported) ...	28 ,,	Do	Do	Do	
Cocoanut oil ...	Cochin-white do ...	28 ,,	Do	27 to 28 0 0	0 14 0	
Kerosene oil ...	White	8 gallons in bulk	Bottle	12 0 0	0 4 0	
Copra ...	Dried and ripe (local) ...	25 lbs.	Viss	27 0 0	3 12 0	
Castor Seed ...	Local	165 lbs.	Rupee	60 0 0	1 1/2 seers	
Gingelly	Do	255 seers	Do	180 to 200 0 0	1 to 1 1/4 ,,	
Groundnut ...	Shelled (local)	100 seers	Do	55 0 0	1 5/8 ,,	
	Do (imported)	531 lbs.	Do	165 0 0	1 5/8 ,,	
	Unshelled (local)	210 seers	Kolaga of 10 seers.	45 0 0	2 4 0	
OTHER ARTICLES OF FOOD.						
Coffee ...	Plantation peaberry ...	Cwt. ...	Viss ...	No stock	...	Chikmagalur
	Do A ...	Do ...	Do ...	242 to 244 0 0	...	
Cardamoms ...	Native peaberry ...	Do ...	Do ...	224 to 226 0 0	...	
Cocoanuts ...	Local—unbleached ...	24 lbs. ...	Tola ...	310 0 0	0 6 0	
	Assorted sizes (local) ...	No. 1,000 ...	Rupee ...	280 to 300 0 0	3 to 4	
Arecanuts ...	Desavaram (local) ...	Md. of 40 seers	Viss ...	49 to 52 0 0	...	Shimoga
	Rajalu (local) ...	Do ...	Do ...	46 to 48 0 0	...	
	Malabar Chooru (Imported)	Md. of 40 seers.	Do ...	45 to 50 0 0	6 0 0 to 6 12 0	
Jaggery ...	Cube local ...	24 lbs ...	Do	3 8 0 to 4	0 8 0 to 0 9 0	
	Oonde local	24 ,, ...	Do			
Sugar ...	Refined local	24 ,, ...	Do ...	11 1 0	1 6 6	Controlled
	Kolar Bura	Do ...	Do ...	...	...	
	White Bura	Do ...	Do ...	...	...	
Wheat flour ...		196 lbs. ...	lbs. ...	38 10 6	0 3 3	Controlled
Maida ...		196 ,, ...	lbs. ...	57 0 0	0 4 9	
Sojee ...		196 ,, ...	lbs. ...	53 13 0	0 4 6	
Tamarind ...	Husked and half cleaned (local),	210 lbs ...	Viss ...	35 to 40 0 0	0 9 0 to 0 10 0	
Coriander ...	Local	100 local measures.	Rupee ...	50 to 60 0 0	1½ to 1⅝ seers	
Chillies (dry) ...	Local	26 lbs. ...	Viss	21 to 22 0 0	3 0 0	
	Imported variety ...	Do ...	,,	12 to 13 0 0	2 0 0	
Potatoes ...	Assorted sizes (local) ...	31 mds. of 32 lbs.	,,	120 to 125 0 0	0 8 0	
Ghee ...	Mandya (superior) local ...	26½ lbs. ...	,,	55 to 56 0 0	7 8 0	
Salt ...	Black (Imported) ...	2½ Ry. mds....	Rupee	5 8 0 to 6 0 0	11 to 12 seers	
TEXTILES AND OTHER MISCELLANEOUS PRODUCTS.						
Cotton, raw ...	Machine-ginned ...	500 lbs.		555 0 0	...	Chitaldrug
Cotton yarn-20s (Single).	Grey	10 ,, ...		19 11 3 to 21 9 3	...	
Silk, raw ...	Mysore—Charaka-reeled—fine ...	Lb.		20 to 22 0 0	...	
	Do do Coarse ...	... ...		14 to 16 0 0	...	
Wool, raw ...	Mixed Live (local) ...	25 lbs.		20 to 2[illegible] 0 0	...	
Cotton piece-goods.	Grey, Indian—Dhoties	1 lb.		3 0 0	...	
Copper ...	Sheets	Cwt.		165 to 170 0 0	...	
Brass or yellow metal.	Do	Do		150 to 160 0 0		
Cast iron ...	Local castings ...	Do		35 to 45 0 0	...	

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of Pavagada Taluk and needful action is reported to have been taken to check the spread of the epidemic.

11. *Cattle.*—Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for the prevalence of Rinderpest in Dwaranakunte village of Sira Taluk and Thippianadurga Village of Pavagada Taluk and blackquarter in Keregodi and Rajatadripura villages of Tiptur Taluk. Preventive measures are reported to have been taken to check the spread of the epidemic.

Water and fodder are however generally available at present. Labour is also generally available to cooly classes. To provide labour to the unemployed, works under Distress Relief have been taken in Pavagada and Sira Taluks.

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8. It is reported that the markets are normally well supplied in all parts of the District.

Seeds sown.—Nil.

11. Public health was generally good except for prevalence of plague in Heragu in Hassan Taluk. Water and fodder are available. Except for a case of hæmorrhagic septicæmia in Bogarnalli K. Hoskote Hobli, Manjarabad Taluk. The cattle were generally healthy in parts of the District.

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8. Market was well supplied.

9. Land was being ploughed in Honnali, Sorab, and Sagar Taluks. The standing crops of sugarcane, greengram, bengalgram and chillies are reported to be in good condition. New sugarcane was being planted in Bhadravati Taluk, horsegram, paddy, and millets were being harvested and thrashed. Sugarcane was being crushed and jaggery was being prepared.

10. Prospects of the season were generally good. It is reported that there was only one attack of Cholera in